

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF EAST HARTFORD
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM
47th YEAR
September 1, 2021 - August 31, 2022

ACTION PLAN

The Town of East Hartford has developed its ***ACTION PLAN*** for the use of 47th Year (2021-2022) entitlement funding in the amount of **\$585,233**.

The following objectives will give maximum feasible priority to activities which benefit low and moderate income individuals and families and/or aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight. In order to obtain citizens' views on these objectives, in addition to this notice, virtual public hearings were held on March 22, 2021 at 11:00 AM and 6:00 PM by teleconference. All comments and proposals received as a result of this process were considered in determining the following summarized version of the 47th Year Action Plan:

ADMINISTRATION

<i>Program Administration</i>	\$117,046
Oversight, management, monitoring and coordination of the Community Development Block Grant Program. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 570.206.	

PUBLIC SERVICES

<i>CRT - East Hartford Community Shelter</i>	\$35,191
Funding to supplement the operating budget at the East Hartford Community Shelter for the homeless located at 381-385 Main Street. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 570.201(e), meets HUD national objective criteria under 24 CFR 570.208(a)(2)(i)(A).	

<i>InterCommunity, Inc.</i>	\$5,000
Funding for staffing to deliver services to East Hartford residents recovering from mental health and/or substance abuse issues. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 570.201(e), meets HUD national objective criteria under 24 CFR 570.208(a)(2)(i)(B).	

<i>Interfaith Ministries, Inc.</i>	\$10,000
Funding to supplement the operating budget of the Friendship Center's free hot meal program. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 570.201(e), meets HUD national objective criteria under 24 CFR 570.208(a)(2)(i)(D).	

<i>Interval House, Inc.</i>	\$5,000
Funding to support staffing for domestic violence shelter and counseling services for low and moderate income East Hartford clients. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 570.201(e), meets HUD national objective criteria under 24 CFR 570.208(a)(2)(i)(A).	

<i>Senior Support Services</i>	\$16,756
Funding for the delivery of services to East Hartford's elderly population. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 570.201(e), meets HUD national objective criteria under 24 CFR 570.208(a)(2)(i)(A).	

<i>Youth Services</i>	\$4,985
Funding for the delivery of services to East Hartford's youth population. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 570.201(e), meets HUD national objective criteria under 24 CFR 570.208(a)(2)(i)(B).	

Nutmeg Big Brother, Big Sisters \$5,000
Funding to supplement operating costs for services for at risk youth that are from low to moderate income families. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 570.201(e), meets HUD national objective criteria under 24 CFR 570.208(a)(2)(i)(B).

PROJECTS

Housing Rehabilitation \$50,000
Funding for limited housing rehabilitation of one to four unit owner-occupied properties inhabited by low and moderate income families. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 570.202 (a)(1), meets HUD national objective criteria under 24 CFR 570.208(a)(3).

Streetscape \$86,255
Funding for physical improvements in the Central Business District and along major arteries, in low to moderate income areas, including, but not limited to, bus shelters, trash receptacles, sidewalk replacement, and benches. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 270.201 (c), meets HUD national objective criteria under 24 CFR 570.208(a)(1)(i).

Parks Improvements \$75,000
Funding for improvements to parks in low to moderate income areas. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 570.201(c), meets HUD national objective criteria under 24 CFR 570.208(a)(1)(i).

Commercial Rehabilitation \$75,000
Funding for limited façade improvements to commercial properties along major thoroughfares in low to moderate income areas, including, but limited to, sign replacement. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 570.201(c), meets HUD national objective criteria under 24 CFR 570.208(a)(1)(i).

Wickham Library Generator \$100,000
Funding for physical improvements to East Hartford's Wickham Library, including, but not limited to, purchase and installation of an emergency generator. Eligible activity under 24 CFR 570.201(c), meets HUD national objective criteria under 24 CFR 570.208(a)(1)(i).

TOTAL **\$585,233**

This Action Plan is available for public viewing on the Town's web site: <https://www.easthartfordct.gov/grants-administration>. The Action Plan is scheduled to be voted on by the East Hartford Town Council at its May 18, 2021 meeting. If there are no substantive changes, this notice will serve as the Final Action Plan.

Additional information on the Action Plan and the Community Development Block Grant Program is available by calling the Grants Administration Office, (860) 291-7306 (TDD/TDY users call Relay Connecticut 1-800-842-9710 or 7-1-1), 740 Main Street, East Hartford, CT 06108, Monday through Friday, 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM. **ALL COMMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED THROUGH 4:30 PM ON MAY 13, 2021.**

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